

VIRGINIA NATIONAL GUARD
TECHNICIAN EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY ANNOUNCEMENT NUMBER: 05-172

POSITION TITLE/NUMBER: Heavy Mobile Equipment Repairer (Indefinite NTE 1 Year), 05-172 (PD NUMBER: 70251000)

GRADE/PAY: WG-5803-09 \$40,279.10 - \$46,999.24 per annum

OPENING DATE: 2 November 2005

CLOSING DATE: 1 December 2005 (1700 hrs)

DUTY LOCATION: FMS #15, Fort Pickett, VA

EMPLOYMENT STATUS: Excepted Service Male/Female Enlisted Personnel (NTE E7)

WHO CAN APPLY:

GROUP I - All qualified Enlisted Personnel (NTE E7) currently employed (permanent) in the Virginia Army National Guard Military Technician Program.

GROUP II - Applications will be accepted from all qualified Virginia Army or Air National Guard enlisted personnel (NTE E7), regardless of employment status (Traditional/Military Technician/AGR). To be considered as a Group II applicant, proof of enlistment in the Virginia National Guard must be attached if the enlistment occurred within 60 days prior to, or during, the advertisement period.

MILITARY CRITERIA: Applicant must be qualified and eligible for award of a MOS as follows:
E: CMF 13, 14, 21, 25, 33, 63, 92, 94 MOS: 88H, 88M, 88N, 88Z

MILITARY ASSIGNMENT: Applicant selected for this military technician position must occupy a military assignment in the Virginia Army National Guard that ensures proper grade, unit and MOS prior to placement.

POINT OF CONTACT: LTC Herbert H. Tuck Jr., (434) 292-8674

QUALIFICATION REQUIREMENTS:

GENERAL: Experience, education or training which demonstrates the candidate's ability to repair, overhaul, and rebuild heavy mobile systems and vehicles. Must have the ability to interpret technical manuals, illustrations, specifications, diagrams, schematics, and similar guides to make repairs and modifications. Must be skilled in the use of diagnostic and test equipment to determine mechanical problems.

SPECIALIZED: Work experience listed on the application must show at least twelve (12) months of experience which equipped the applicant with the following specialized experience to successfully perform the duties of the position, such as: experience in servicing, maintaining, disassembling, assembling, repairing and testing heavy mobile equipment; experience which demonstrates an applicant's ability to diagnose malfunctions and determine remedy in all systems, where knowledge of specified components is necessary to locate malfunctions; experience which demonstrates the ability to use common hand tools and measuring equipment such as wrenches, screwdrivers, thickness gauges and gauge blocks; experience in using diagnostic and testing equipment such as tachometers, ohmmeters, pressure gauges, etc.; experience which demonstrates the ability to interpret technical manuals, specifications and publications.

KNOWLEDGE, SKILLS, AND ABILITIES (KSAs) REQUIREMENTS: Applicants should prepare separate statements addressing all KSAs listed below. Explain any military/and or civilian work experience which supports each KSA. The KSA's are NOT used for basic qualification. They are used solely for the purpose of rating and ranking candidates when there are more than ten (10) qualified applicants. If there are more than 10 qualified candidates certified, the KSAs will be used to assist in determining the best qualified candidates to be referred to the selecting supervisor. Failure to provide KSAs may result in inability to refer basically qualified candidates for consideration or interview.

1. Skill in servicing, repairing and maintaining heavy mobile equipment.
2. Ability to troubleshoot malfunctions and determine causes of mechanical problems.
3. Ability to use hand tools and precision measuring equipment.
4. Skill in use of diagnostic and test equipment.

5. Ability to interpret technical manuals, illustrations, specifications, diagrams and schematics to make repairs and modifications.

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SUBSTITUTION OF EDUCATION FOR SPECIALIZED EXPERIENCE: Study successfully completed in a college, university, technical or vocational school may be substituted for experience at the rate of one year of study (30 semester hours or 20 classroom hours of instruction per week) for 6 months of experience. Courses must be directly related to the work of the position. Applicants must submit transcripts, diplomas or other forms of completion certificates to provide verification of related courses.

OTHER: Must possess a valid state driver's license for the state in which one lives or is principally employed.

REMARKS: This position is being advertised as an indefinite appointment and a Group II applicant selected may be released at any time.

In the event a permanent employee is accepted for this indefinite position, there will be a change in their tenure from permanent to indefinite.

Indefinite appointment may be made permanent at a later date without competition. Individual will be advised of his/her rights and benefits to which entitled.

DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES - POSITION DESCRIPTION 70251000: Troubleshoots and performs organizational and limited direct support maintenance and repair on heavy duty mobile equipment and vehicles such as road graders, conveyors, bulldozers, power shovels, heavy duty compressors, large generators, tractors, tanks, tracked combat vehicles, cranes, and accessory equipment. Performs repairs such as replacing engine heads, head gaskets, wheel seals, and seals in major components such as transmissions, transfers, and differentials. Performs organizational and limited direct support maintenance and repair on several types of towed, mounted, and self-propelled artillery, recoilless rifles, and motors, to include mounts, turrets and carriages. Performs inspections on vehicles and associated equipment supported by the activity, ranging from shop acceptance to final inspection. Operates equipment (tanks, personnel carriers, howitzers, recovery vehicles, etc.) prior to issue to units for use during Inactive Duty Training (IDT) and Annual Training (AT), to assure that it is operating properly. May perform organizational and limited direct support maintenance on automotive, communication-electronic, and small arms equipment, and make minor body and fender or metal case repairs using peening hammers, welding equipment, and paint spray equipment.

APPLICATION PROCEDURES: INTERESTED APPLICANTS MAY APPLY BY SUBMITTING A RESUME, THE OPTIONAL APPLICATION FOR FEDERAL EMPLOYMENT (OF 612), OR THE SF 171, AND KSAs TO: THE ADJUTANT GENERAL OF VIRGINIA, ATTN: VAHR-P, BUILDING 316, FORT PICKETT, BLACKSTONE, VIRGINIA 23824-6316 BY THE CLOSING DATE SPECIFIED ON THE ANNOUNCEMENT. APPLICANTS MAY ALSO EMAIL APPLICATIONS TO vaguardtechjobs@va.ngb.army.mil or fax to (434) 298-6381. APPLICATIONS RECEIVED AFTER THE CLOSING DATE WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED. THE FOLLOWING DOCUMENTS ARE NOT ACCEPTABLE AS ATTACHMENTS TO APPLICATIONS: PHOTOGRAPHS, COPIES OF POSITION DESCRIPTIONS, PERFORMANCE RATINGS (CIVILIAN OR MILITARY), AWARDS OR LETTERS OF APPRECIATION.

CONSIDERATION FOR THIS POSITION WILL BE WITHOUT REGARD TO SEX, AGE, OR HANDICAP (EXCEPT WHERE REQUIRED BY MILITARY REGULATIONS), RACE, COLOR, NATIONAL ORIGIN, RELIGION, LAWFUL POLITICAL AFFILIATION, OR MEMBERSHIP/NONMEMBERSHIP IN AN EMPLOYEE ORGANIZATION. RELOCATION EXPENSES WILL NOT BE PAID. SELECTEE REQUIRED TO PARTICIPATE IN DIRECT DEPOSIT/ELECTRONIC FUND TRANSFER. ANY GROUP II APPLICANT SELECTED WILL BE REQUIRED TO COMPLETE A PREPLACEMENT MEDICAL SCREENING WHICH WILL BE PAID FOR BY THE AGENCY.

A complete listing of all current Virginia National Guard Technician Employment Opportunity Announcements is available at <http://www.varich.ang.af.mil/hro/jobs/jobs.htm>. Nationwide vacancy announcements are available at <http://www.neguard.com/jobs/Docs/statepoc.htm>.

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